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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In response to the Requirement for Restriction dated September 27, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Add the following:

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20. In combination,

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- a preparatory machine for sequentially delivering wound laps, each wound lap having a longitudinal axis;
- a conveying belt disposed transversely of said preparatory machine for sequentially receiving the delivered wound laps; and

means located between said preparatory machine and said conveyor for sequentially rotating each wound lap at least 90° in a plane of said longitudinal axis thereof and conveying each wound lap from said preparatory machine onto said conveyor in coaxially equi-spaced apart relation.

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